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VGN-FZ280E/B

VAIO® FZ Series Notebook PC

The VAIO FZ is a 15.4" [2] entertainment PC in the body of an incredibly thin-and-light notebook

EXPERIENCE BLU-RAY DISC™ MEDIA PLAYBACK

Blu-ray Disc™ media support lets you playback[12] HD Blu-ray Disc movies in stunning clarity.

Blu-ray Disc™ optical drive lets you record 25-50GB of video[9] or data to a single Blu-ray Disc® media.

PERFORMANCE AND MOBILITY

Roomy 250GB[9] hard drive and 2GB RAM.

Lightning-fast Intel® Centrino® Duo processor technology and super-powerful Intel® Core™ 2 Duo processor T7250 (2GHz[8]).

Windows Vista® Home Premium is easy-to-use and delivers new security and entertainment features.

Thin-and-light notebook with incredible 15.4" widescreen display[2] and XBRITE-ECO™ LCD technology.

Magnesium alloy makes for a remarkably lightweight and durable chassis.

802.11a/b/g/n wireless LAN technology[3] offers a massive boost in wireless connection speed and range.

ENTERTAINMENT AND COMMUNICATION MADE EASY

XBRITE-ECO™ LCD technology delivers razor-sharp details and bold colors while conserving battery life.

Intuitive music and video controls are user-friendly, so you can easily control your CDs, DVDs, pictures and home movies with the push of a button.

HDMI™ output allows you to view your audio, video or data content on your HDTV through a single cable.

Integrated camera and microphone for video messaging with family, friends and coworkers[5].

Sony's original Sound Reality™ technology delivers high-resolution surround-sound to your entertainment.

The VAIO® FZ280 notebook is a thin-and-light Blu-ray Disc™ enabled notebook featuring a 15.4" widescreen LCD[2] with XBRITE-HiColor™ technology. With a built-in camera and microphone for video messaging[5] and Blu-ray Disc® optical drive for massive storage capacity[13], this lightning-fast, super-powerful PC is packed with exciting entertainment features.

intel Centrino Duo Core 2 Duo inside

Windows Vista Home Premium

Blu-ray Disc

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Specifications

General

Computer Type: Notebook
Type of Use: Portable
Action Buttons: S (programmable), Volume, AV Mode, Play/Pause, FF, Rewind and Stop
Pointing Device: Electro-Static touch pad

Hardware

Keyboard: QWERTY, 82 keys with 2mm stroke and 19.05mm pitch
Camera: Built-in 1.3 megapixel MOTION EYE® camera and microphone

Processor

Type: Intel® Core™ 2 Duo Processor T7250
Speed: 2GHz[8]
Front Side Bus Speed: 800MHz
L2 Cache: 2MB Advanced Smart Cache
Technology: Intel® Centrino® Duo Processor Technology

Memory

Type: DDR2
Installed: 2GB (1GBx2) PC2-5300
Maximum: 4GB[16]
Speed: 667MHz

Hard Drive

Capacity: 250GB[9]
Speed: 4200rpm
Interface: Serial ATA

Optical Drive #1

DVD+R DL Write: 2.4x max.
DVD+R Write: 8x max.
DVD+RW Write: 4x max.
DVD-R Write: 4x max.
DVD-RW Write: 6x max.
CD-R Write: 8x max.
CD-RW Write: 8x max.
DVD±RW: Yes[4] (DVD±R DL/DVD±RW/DVD-RAM)
CD Read: 24x max.
DVD Read: 8x max.
DVD-RAM Write: 5x max.
DVD-R DL Write: 2x max.
BD-R Read: 2x max
BD-R Write: 2x max
BD-RE Write: 2x max
BD-ROM Read: 2x max
BD-RE Read: 2x max
BD-R DL Read: 1.6x max
BD-R DL Write: 1x max
DVD-RAM Read: 5x max.
Blu-Ray Disc™ Support: Yes[12] (BD-RE/DVD±R DL/DVD±RW)
BD-RE DL Read: 1.6x max
BD-RE DL Write: 1x max

Expansion Slots

Multimedia Card Reader: One Memory Stick Duo™ media with MagicGate® functionality
One ExpressCard™ /34 Slot
One Secure Digital Media (SD)

Audio

Sound System: Sony® Sound Reality™ - Audio Enhancer

Display

Screen or Display Technology: WXGA LCD
Screen Size: 15.4"[2]
Resolution: 1280 x 800
XBRITE-ECO™ Technology: Yes

Graphics

Processor: NVIDIA® GeForce® 8400M GT GPU
Video RAM: 1023MB Total Available Graphics Memory[11]
Interface: HDMI, VGA and S-Video Out with Smart Display Sensor

Inputs and Outputs

Ethernet Port: 1
Headphone Jack: 1
Memory Stick® Media Slot: 1
Modem Jack: 1
Secure Digital Slot: 1
Microphone Input: 1
S-Video Output(s): 1
USB Port(s): 3 (2.0 compliant)
VGA Output(s): 1
DC-In: 1
Express Card™ Slot: /34 x 1
i.LINK® Connection: 1 (4pin) i.LINK® connector (IEEE 1394)[7]
HDMI™ Connection(s): 1

Networking/Modem

Ethernet Protocol: Fast Ethernet (RJ-45)
Ethernet Speed: 10Base-T/100Base-TX
Modem Type: Integrated V.92/V.90 Modem (RJ-11)
Wireless LAN: Intel® PRO/Wireless 4965AGN Network Connection (802.11a/b/g/n)[3]

Power

Battery Type: Standard Lithium-ion Battery (VGP-BPS2B)
Estimated Battery Life: 2.5 to 5.5 hrs[6]
Power Requirements: 110W+10%

Software

Operating System: Windows Vista™ Home Premium
Internet Services: AOL® 90-Day Risk Free Trial - New Users Only
Supplied Software: Microsoft® Works SE 9.0 w/ 60-Day Trial Version of Microsoft® Office Home and Student 2007[10]
Sony® Original Software: Click to DVD® - DVD Creation
LocationFree® Player Software
*Please access VAIO® Help and Support from your PC for a complete list of software applications and trials.
Security and Anti-Virus Software: Norton 360™ All-In-One Security 60-day Trial

Service and Warranty Information

Telephone Support: 1 year toll-free technical telephone assistance, available 24/7[15]
Limited Warranty and Onsite Service: 1 Year Limited Warranty with Onsite Service[14]
Online and Email Support: Support available from http://www.esupport.sony.com/EN/VAIO

Dimensions

Weight: 5.9 lbs.[1]
Measurements: 14"(W) x 0.98-1.4"(H) x 10.02"(D)[1]

Supplied Accessories

Standard Lithium-ion battery (VGP-BPS8)
AC adapter(VGP-AC19V23)
Power Cord

Color: Silver
UPC Code: 027242725256

1. Non-metric weights and measures are approximate and may vary.
2. Viewable area measured diagonally.
3. Requires 802.11n compatible access point. Some functionality may require Internet services, which may require a fee.
4. DVD media/formats are not universally compatible.
5. Broadband internet service required along with third party services which may require a subscription or other service fee.
6. Actual battery life will vary based on product settings, usage patterns, battery and environmental conditions.
7. i.LINK is a trademark of Sony used only to designate that a product contains an IEEE 1394 connector. All products with an i.LINK connector may not communicate with each other.
8. GHz denotes microprocessor internal clock speed; other factors may affect application performance. CPU speed will be reduced under certain operating conditions.
9. GB means one billion bytes when referring to hard drive capacity. Accessible capacity may vary. A portion of hard disk space is reserved as a recovery partition.
10. 60-Day Trial Version of Microsoft® Office 2007 - This trial software will work only for 60 days after you first use it. You will not be able to use the software if you do not activate it as described the first time you use the software. You can activate the software by Internet: Internet service charges may apply. If you want to keep using the software after the 60-day trial period, you must convert to the perpetual version. You can convert online by following the conversion instructions presented during setup and paying the required fees.
11. Total Available Graphics Memory refers to the new Windows Vista™ classification of graphics memory, which is the total of Dedicated Video Memory, System Video Memory and Shared System Memory. Shared System Memory varies depending on the operating condition and system memory size.
12. As with other optical media devices, circumstances may limit compatibility or prevent Blu-ray Disc™ media playback. VAIO computers may not support movie playback on packaged media recorded in AVC or VC1 formats at high bit rates.
13. Video recording to Blu-ray Disc® media is done in MP2 format only.
14. When available, Sony will provide Onsite Service in fulfillment of its limited warranty obligations. Any such services are subject to the terms and conditions of the limited warranty. See actual Limited Warranty for details. Onsite Service will be provided via third-party technician to be dispatched as needed following phone-based troubleshooting. Some repairs may be accomplished with self repair kits. Onsite Service may not be available in all locations.
15. For certain third party software applications, Sony provides first level Phone Support. Additional telephone support may be available from the applicable 3rd party vendor. Availability and schedule for any such support is determined by the applicable software vendor.
12. Broadband connection is required along with third party services which may require a subscription fee and other service fees.
16. A portion of the system memory over 3GB may not be available to the operating system.

Computer Interface: The computer industry lacks standards, and therefore, there are a multitude of varying software packages and add-on hardware options. This personal computer is not manufactured to operate any specific software, and Sony does not and cannot make any warranty or representation with respect to the performance of this product with any particular software packages and/or non-Sony add-on hardware options except those mentioned in this document. Sony hereby disclaims any representations or warranty that this product is compatible with any combination of products you may choose to connect. While Sony representatives or Sony authorized dealers may be able to assist you and may make recommendations, they are NOT authorized to vary or waive this disclaimer. Purchasers must determine for themselves the suitability and compatibility of the hardware and software in each and every particular instance. Software titles pre-installed on the Sony Notebook Computer are subject to change without notice. Simulated graphic shown on display. Pre-installed software may not be identical to retail versions or have all documentation. This product meets the standards of the International Energy Star Program for energy efficiency. Features and specifications are subject to change without notice. Non-metric weights and measurements are approximate and may vary. Lamp in this product contains mercury. Disposal of these materials may be regulated due to environmental considerations. For disposal or recycling information, please contact your local authorities or the Electronic Industries Alliance (www.eiae.org).

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